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TENNESSEE.

Smallpox in the State.

Secretary Albright of the State board of health reports that since the beginning of the epidemic, February 13 to July 1, there have been 898 cases and 11 deaths, and that at the present time but 4 cases are known to exist in the State.

WASHINGTON.

Smallpox reported in Walla Walla.

TACOMA, WASH., June 30, 1899.

SIR: I have the honor to report that rumors are brought me to the effect that smallpox is existing in epidemic form in Walla Walla, Wash. Yesterday I received a letter from the health officer of Walla Walla, informing me that there were 8 cases, all under quarantine, in pest-house. The cases developed from railroad laborers brought in to work on the Snake River Railroad. I am informed that every precaution is being taken.

Respectfully, yours,

F. J. SCHUG,
Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.

Cerebro-spinal meningitis in the United States.

[Continued from last PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS.]

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA—*Washington*.—Health Officer Woodward reports 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis during the week ended July 1.

PENNSYLVANIA—*Philadelphia*.—Four cases of cerebro-spinal meningitis and 3 deaths were reported for the week ended July 8.

OHIO—*Cincinnati*.—For the week ended June 30 there were 3 deaths reported from cerebro-spinal meningitis, and 3 deaths also for the week ended July 7.

Smallpox in the United States as reported to the Supervising Surgeon-General United States Marine-Hospital Service, June 30, to July 14, 1899.

[For reports received from January 1 to June 30, 1899, see PUBLIC HEALTH REPORTS for June 30.]

Places.	Date.	Cases.	Deaths.	Remarks.
Georgia:				
Savannah.....	June 3-June 18...	5		
Illinois:				
Chicago.....	June 20-July 1...	3	0	
Kansas:				
Kansas City	June 10-June 17...	2		
Kentucky:				
Louisville.....	June 23-July 6...	8	0	
Louisiana:				
New Orleans.....	June 17-July 1...	4	0	
Shreveport.....	do.....	3	0	Doubtful.
Total for the State.....		7	0	